(i) Anti-touting staff has been deployed in all the parking lots and near pre-paid taxi booths;

(ii) Traffic staff as well as local police keep constant watch at pre-paid taxi booths and check reliability certificate at the time a foreign tourist leaves the airport by a taxi. The practice of recording the address/destination of the foreign tourists at the back side of the pre-paid slips has been introduced.

(iii) AH taxis are again checked at the exit pickets and necessary entries regarding pre-paid slip and destination are made in the register being maintained there for the purpose.

(iv) ACPs/SHOs at Indira Gandhi International Airport and Palam Airport taken round at vulnerable points during peak hours.

(v) Closer vigil is being kept on violation of rules by the Hotels and Guest Houses.

(vi) The concerned staff posted at the Airport has been briefed time and again to curb touting menace. During the years 1997 and 1998 (upto 15.5.98), a large number of touts were rounded up and vehicles impounded. The details are as under:

Year	Number of touts arrested	Number of vehicles impounded
1997	630	151
1998 (upto 15.5.98)	757	407

Construction of Ram Temple

814. SHRI GURUDAS DAS GUPTA: SHRI GAYA SINGH: SHRI S.M. KRISHNA:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that parts of a Ram Temple are being constructed at Ayodhya and Pindwara in Rajasthan which will be assembled at the Janambhoomi site in Ayodhya by Kar Sevaks by the end of the century;

(b) Whether Government's attention has been drawn to a news-item appearing in the Indian Express, New Delhi edition, dated the 12th May, 1998 in this regard; and

(c) if so, the details of Government's reaction thereto?

THE MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI L.K. ADVANI): (a) No such construction activity is going on at the disputed Ram Janma Bhoomi-Babri masjid site at Ayodhya. However, from various sources reports have been received that some cutting and carving of stone pillars are going on at places away from the disputed site at Ayodhya and at some villages in Rajasthan.

(b) Yes Sir.

(c) Carving of stones away from the disputed Ram Janma Bhomi-Babri Masjid site at Ayodhya does not constitute violation of any law. However, in compliance with the Supreme Court's judgement dated 24.10.94, status-quo is being maintained at the disputed site at Ayodhya.

Babri Masjid Demolition Case

815. SHRI NILOTPAL BASU: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are considering to delink the people who are charge-sheeted in the demolition of Babri Masjid from criminal charges; and

(b) if so, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI L.K. ADVANI): There is no such proposal under consideration.

(b) Does not arise.

Police Officials Grilled by Delhi Court

816. SHRI O.P. KOHLI: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state.

(a) whether it is a fact that a Delhi Court grilled two police officials for falsely implicating an innocent persons under the Delhi Police Act as has been brought out in the newsitem appearing in the Hindustan Times, dated the Uth February, 1998; and

0" if so, what action Government propose